

STATE NORMAL SCHOOL

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NUMBER 1.

CHANGES IN THE FACULTY

Better Arrangements for Physical Education — Modern Languages Emphasized.

The opening of the new year brings a number of new members to the body of instructors of the Normal School. Mr. S. E. Davis, head of the Department of Education and Training, took up his work at the beginning of the summer quarter, hence is known to many of our students who were in the summer session. Mr. Davis is a graduate of the University of Missouri, holding the degrees of A. B. and A. M. from that institution, and is a post-graduate of both Columbia University, New York, and Chicago University, Chicago. He has served as inspector of Teacher Training courses in Missouri high schools and also as Assistant State Superintendent, holding both positions at different times under Superintendent William P. Evans. He was formerly a member of the faculty of Warrensburg Normal School.

Mr. W. J. Osburn, formerly Superintendent of Schools of Webb City, Missouri, now has charge of the Psychology courses. Mr. Osburn is a graduate of both the University of Missouri at Columbia and Central College at Fayette. He also holds an A. M. degree from Vanderbilt University and is a post-graduate student of Columbia University, New York.

Miss Olive S. DeLuce, of Athens, Ohio, takes charge of the Fine Arts courses. Miss DeLuce is a graduate of Teachers' College, New York City, and of Columbia University, and has been a member of the faculty of Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, during the past year.

Miss Mary H. Boggs, of Marlborough, Mass., has been employed to take charge of Physical Education for Women. Miss Boggs is a graduate of Sargent School of Gymnastics, Boston, has been a student at Teachers' College, New

PHILOS AGAIN AT WORK

The Philomathean Literary Society is again at work with its usual amount of enthusiasm. Vacancies made by the graduation of a number of last year's members are being filled by new students.

The executive committee, Henry Miller, Ivah Barnes, Bernice Snelling and Edith Callahan, gave the program at the first meeting of the term. The original poem, "Reminiscences of the South," by Miss Barnes, was heartily applauded by both members and vis-

NEW BUILDING DEDICATED

The people of Mt. Tabor, a country school district, three miles northeast of Elmo, dedicated their new building Saturday, September 25. The people are justly proud of having one of the most modern equipped country school buildings in Northwest Missouri.

The dedication services consisted of an address by Bert Cooper, county superintendent, followed by Dan Baker, county recorder, music by the Braddyville orchestra, declamations by pupils of the school and an old-fashioned

LYCEUM COURSE FOR MARYVILLE

Opening Number, Alice Nielson — Lectures — Reader and C. W. Best Artists.

The Lyceum course is one of the many forms of classical entertainment which the city of Maryville is able to present to its citizens at a very small cost. To the students of our Normal School Number Five it has a special attraction. The Lyceum course intertwines itself with the high standards of entertainment which the school is trying to maintain. Special rates are made to students and those who have made an effort to attend the previous courses have felt themselves amply repaid.

The Lyceum course for this year offers especially strong talent. The course opens October 26, with Alice Nielson, grand opera prima dona. This is a rare treat for the people of Maryville for Miss Nielson is the best loved American prima donna before the public. She sings in English, French, German and Italian and has starred in various popular operas, among them Don Pasquale.

Dr. Arthur Walevyn Evans, a Welsh humorist, appears in the second number of the course, December 2. Mr. Evans will render some "Welsh Wit and Humor."

The C. W. Best Artists consists of three companies placed as a course at periods of one month apart. The first of the Best series will be here January 20. This number will consist of Signor Alberto Salvi, harpist; Marguerite Austin, violinist and Florence Hedstrum, dramatic soprano. These are all noted people in their respective lines of work.

Mrs. Fenetta Sargent Haskell, dramatic reader, will appear in the second of the Best series. Mrs. Haskell has been enthusiastically received in many of the leading cities and countries of the world. She has a wonderful mag-



A NEAR VIEW OF THE MAIN BUILDING.

itors.

At the last meeting a letter was enjoyed from Miss Mattie Dykes, a former member, who is teaching in the schools of Cedar Falls, Iowa. H. A. Miller gave a short talk containing several helpful suggestions. A. J. Caulfield was also present and the fact that he was once a Philomathean made his visit doubly welcome.

The society gladly accepted an invitation from the Eurekaans to a reception on the evening of September 30.

Many interesting programs are promised by the Philos, and it is the aim of every member to surpass, if possible all previous records in the history of the society.

Gene Cummins, a former member of the Eureka Literary society, visited friends and schoolmates here September 23.

basket dinner. Miss Laura Walton, who was fortunate enough to be selected as the teacher of this school, is a former student at the Maryville Normal.

It is the desire of every patron of the Mt. Tabor district that this splendid new building be used as a community center and with that aim in view, all arrangements are completed for athletics, dinners, and social affairs of every kind.

It is the hope of this staff that those who are interested in the uplift and furtherance of community life, look to the people of Mt. Tabor district for a splendid example of what may be done along that line.

Number Five Enrollment Increases.

The enrollment of Number Five is greater than it was last fall, with indications that it will increase during the winter.

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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 1915.

The Significance of 1915-16.

A few fleeting months have come and gone, and the student is again reminded that vacation days have passed forever into the mystic realm of memory, and that the responsibility of school life is before him.

Yet to the keen observer, in attendance at the Normal the past few weeks, there appeared to be no signs of regret, on the part of the student body. On the other hand there was a noticeable atmosphere of rejoicing. The corridors have resounded to the echo of friendly greetings, to the renewal of old acquaintances and to the forming of new ones. Everywhere the spirit of good will and comradeship was evident.

At the sight of all this, the thoughtful individual finds himself compelled to pause and reflect. In the midst of his meditations he finds his thoughts centered about one question, namely: "What does 1915-16 mean to Maryville Normal?" Several answers present themselves, a few of which we will consider.

We find that the enrollment already exceeds that of last year and present indications are that a new record for attendance during the Fall quarter will be established.

The school has not only grown in attendance but in strength and efficiency. Several new departments have been added, and there are many new faces among the faculty.

Already the students are showing their enthusiasm, by their devotion to the school organizations. Most all the meetings have been well attended and in some instances, have been filled to overflowing.

Our chances seem to be especially bright in athletics. Most all the veterans of last year's basket ball team have returned. Much promising material is reported among the new students, and our coach wears a contented smile.

All this portends a new era in the history of Maryville Normal. What can each do to make it so? Boost with all your might for your class, for your literary society, and your school paper; root for the athletic teams, be loyal to class-room work; respect the faculty; consider the other fellow's rights; develop a spirit of comradeship; keep pace with every passing event, and spread the school spirit over the entire district, thereby making Number Five the pride of the entire state.

Value and Service of Students.

How many people of Maryville realize what the schools of this town, especially the State Normal School, mean to them? Sometimes it is the inclination of the town people, who do not realize what an advantage the school is, to look upon the members of the student body as foreigners, or at least as people who will be here only a short time. As a consequence they neglect the opportunities which present themselves of making the students happy and contented.

But let us take a little survey of what this student body means to this town in Dollars and Cents. Just figure the board and room of two hundred and fifty students for nine months and see what the results will be. Suppose the board and room to be four dollars and fifty cents per week, per student, which is less than some have to pay, and for nine months the student body will bring into the town \$40,500. Add to this the \$29,700 which the students of the summer session bring in and you have a total of \$70,200. Think what that means to a town of this size, and yet we have not figured the money spent for other necessities by these students, which would almost double the above sum.

But there is another way that the student body means much to the town, and that is in the service which these people may render to the various churches and other organizations of the city. Nearly all of them are church-going people at home and when they come here feel the necessity of affiliating themselves with the church of their preference. They soon become active workers here.

This school also makes Nodaway county the center of attraction for some of the brightest boys and girls of Northwest Missouri; which should mean a great deal to any prosperous community.

Now that you have such a very small clue to work on it may serve as a stimulus to work out some other ways in which the students of our school are serviceable and may also inspire the people of the town to make this student body the happiest and most contented of any student body in Northwest or any other part of Missouri.

The Alumni of the school is to have an active representative on the staff of the "Green and White Courier." Harriet Van Buren is to fill this newly created position. It is the plan of the school to keep in touch with the Alumni. To this end we ask the Alumni to give us their earnest co-operation. Let us

know about your school, your community, and the work you are doing.

Alumni Notes.

A. H. Cooper of Maryville, the president of our Alumni Association, was married Wednesday evening, September 25, to Miss Irene Rutledge of Cameron, Mo., at the bride's home. Mr. and Mrs. Cooper spent their honeymoon in Chicago. They were in a wreck on their way home, but neither were injured beyond a few bruises. Mr. Cooper is a member of the 1907 graduating class.

His wife was graduated from Missouri Wesleyan College at Cameron, Mo., last spring, and for the last two summers, has been a student at the Normal.

Misses Elizabeth Mary Sobbing and Anna Laura Bainum of the 1914 class, are assisting the Normal faculty this year. Miss Sobbing, who is assistant in the mathematics department, is working for her ninety-hour diploma. Miss Bainum is spending all her time in the department of home economics. She spent last year specializing in home economics at the University of Missouri.

Miss Floy Lyle, also of the '14 class, has returned to Porto Rico, where she has a position as teacher. Miss Lyle has spent one year teaching there. She is very enthusiastic about the Porto Rican life.

Miss Helen Nixon, '14, writes that she is having new and valuable experiences in the Hibbing school, a vocational system at Little Swan, Minnesota. Her pupils are all Finns.

The following clipping was taken from the Tarkio, Mo., Avalanche concerning James A. Faris, who was graduated from this school in 1913, and who was a student in the University of Missouri last year: "James Faris, son of E. E. Faris, of this city, who has attracted state-wide attention by his work at the state university has met with an unexpected streak of good fortune. Last year he was elected as alternate to represent his society at the national meeting in San Francisco in October. Recently the delegate chosen left the university to accept a good position elsewhere and it devolves on Mr. Faris to go to San Francisco in his place. It is quite a good fortune to get free transportation to the Panama-Pacific exposition city, as well as free entertainment during his stay there, to say nothing of the pleasure of attending the national meeting of the society."

The Philos received a letter a few days ago from Miss Mattie Dykes, who received her diploma last summer term. Miss Dykes is teaching sixth grade work in Cedar Falls, Iowa. She reported an enjoyable situation.

Glen Lukens, '14, is again in charge of industrial arts in the Redwood Falls, Minnesota High school. He writes that his work is very interesting and enjoyable.

Four of the Normal Alumni members are teaching in Hopkins, Mo. Miss Ethel Metzger, '15, is teaching mathematics and history in the high school, while Miss Katheryne Brown, '08, and Misses Neva Shearer and Minnie Everhart of the 1914 class have charge of the first, second and third grades, respectively.

Miss Grace DeMotte, '14, is teaching in Arapaho, Oklahoma, this year. Her work consists of some eighth grade work and three classes in mathematics in the high school.

Misses Myrtle Wells, '15, and Beatrice Sewell, '14, are teaching in the Skidmore High school. Miss Wells has charge of the mathematics and history work, and Miss Sewell has the English and Latin.

W. R. Lowry, the Alumni Association president of last year, and a graduate in the 1913 class, is superintendent of the Grant City, Mo., High school.

Misses Jane Gladstone, '15, and Iva Ward, '12, are also in the Grant City High school. Miss Gladstone has charge of the Latin department, and Miss Ward, the teacher training work.

Miss Jane Hinote, '14, who assisted in the department of home economics last quarter at the Normal, is teaching the same work at Campbell, Mo., this year.

Miss Myra Hull, '10, who spent last year assisting Miss Hettie M. Anthony in the home economics department at the Normal, has charge of that department in the Bedford, Iowa, High school this year.

Mrs. J. C. Baird of Chicago, formerly Miss Maude Bent of the 1908 class, announces the birth of a daughter, Enid Morine, September 10.

Miss Phyllis Saylor, '08, who has been teaching in the Maryville grades for several years, resigned her position for this year. She is in Hopkins at the home of her brother, Ora Saylor.

Miss Ora Barmann, '14, is in school this quarter.

Miss Dale Hoffman, '14, is teaching the fourth grade in the Shenandoah, Iowa, school this year.

Miss Hildred Hanna '14, has returned to Okmulgee, Okla., where she teaches primary work.

Miss Glen Hotchkiss '14, has a position in the schools of Kinney, Minn.

Harvey Watson, a member of last years graduating class, and a loyal Philomathean, is pursuing his studies in manual training at Stout Institute, Menomonie, Wisconsin.

Myrtle McPherron, '13, formerly editor-in-chief of the "Green and White Courier" is attending the State University, Columbia, Mo.

Y. W. C. A. Holds Initial Meeting.

The Y. W. C. A. held its first meeting of the Fall quarter, Sept. 22. The meetings will be held regularly on Wednesday mornings at the assembly period. Many interesting features are being planned, some of which are the reports from the Y. W. C. A. conference at Estes Park, Colorado.

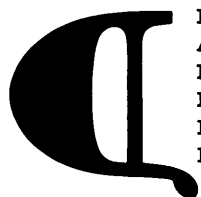
The local organization was represented by Misses Emma Hardin and Edith Callahan. Miss Hardin will speak at the meeting of September 29 and Miss Callahan's report will be given the following week. All girls of the school are urged to attend the meetings of the association. They are inter-denominational, and the program committee promises that they will be entertaining as well as instructive.

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C. E. Wells Married.

C. E. Wells was married to Miss Elizabeth Ott, of Gardner, Kansas, August 8. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Wells left for a trip to the Panama-Pacific exposition and other Western points.

Junior Meeting.

A meeting of the Junior class was held Friday evening. Despite the fact that many of the out-of-town members had left for their homes, a majority of the class was present. Officers of the class were elected and another meeting has been called for Tuesday evening to discuss a few matters of business. The officers elected are as follows:
President.....Neil Garard
Vice-President.....Mary Lewis
Secretary.....Ruby Irwin
Treasurer.....Lloyd Heffner
Sergeant-at-Arms.....Chauncey Saville
Yell Leader.....Verne Pickens

LYCEUM COURSE FOR MARYVILLE

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netic personality and a rich resonant voice and those who have heard her cannot speak too highly of her merit.

The last of the Best series will be in town March 10. This number consists of Senor Antonio Sala, violin 'cellist; Miss Mignon Meeker, soprano; Lois Brown, pianist. From all reports this promises to be a leading number.

Peter MacQueen, lecturer, will speak here February 17. Mr. MacQueen is a member of the Royal Geographical Society and will give an illustrated lecture on "The European War." Mr. MacQueen was with the English army at the front at the beginning of the war and his wide experiences make him worthy of a place on any lecture course.

Taken as a whole, this course promises to be the best of its kind ever offered in Maryville and each student should feel it a personal responsibility to hear every number on this excellent course.

New Staff Is Elected.

According to custom, the various school organizations have made their annual selections of the students, who will represent them on the staff of the "Green and White Courier." Each organization is entitled to one representative.

As a result of the elections there has been considerable change in the personnel of the staff. However, several of last year's members were either retained or returned by some other organization, and the staff is not entirely new. Those chosen and the organization selecting them are: Elizabeth Sobbing, Eureka Literary Society; Lucile Snowberger, Philomathean Literary Society; William T. Utter, Y. M. C. A.; Arlie Hulet; Y. W. C. A.; Henry A. Miller, Senior class; Vella Booth, Junior class. Harriet Van Buren will act as Alumni editor. George H. Colbert will continue as faculty advisor. Lowell L. Livengood will serve in the capacity of "Editor-in-Chief," until January 1, 1916, when his successor will be chosen by a majority vote of the student body.

Of the various staff members, Harriet Van Buren, William Utter and Henry A. Miller, have had experience, and as the student organizations adopted "efficiency" as their motto rather than "popularity" the new staff is considered very well balanced.

New Departments.

Several new departments which add greatly to the efficiency of the school have been organized this fall.

The physical education classes are being organized as rapidly as possible. The measurements of the girls have been completed and class work started in earnest September 27. The physical education course proper, is a compulsory course, while folk-games comprise the elective course. Later in the year work in basket ball will be taken up.

The commercial department and also the department of modern languages has been supplied with special instructors for the ensuing year.

SCHOOL ORGANIZATIONS.

Seniors.

President.....Ivah Barnes
Vice-President.....William Utter
Secretary.....Blanche Daise
Treasurer.....Lowell L. Livengood
Sergeant-at-Arms.....Fred Lewis
Yell Leader.....Edgar Hull

Juniors.

President.....Neil Garard
Vice-President.....Mary Lewis
Secretary.....Ruby Irwin
Treasurer.....Lloyd Heffner
Sergeant-at-Arms.....Chauncey Saville
Yell Leader.....Verne Pickens

Y. M. C. A.

President.....Earl Borchers
Vice-President.....William Utter
Secretary.....Charles Meyer
Treasurer.....Herschel Wiles

Y. W. C. A.

President.....Ivah Barnes
Vice-President.....Villa Waller
Secretary.....Emma Hardin
Treasurer.....Eula Snowberger

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President.....Henry A. Miller
Vice-President.....Bernice Snelling
Secretary.....Ivah Barnes
Treasurer.....Edith Callahan
Sergeant-at-Arms.....Edgar Hull

Eurekans.

President.....Elizabeth Mary Sobbing
Vice-President.....Lowell L. Livengood
Secretary.....Thelma Roberts
Treasurer.....Jessie Ewing
Sergeant-at-Arms.....Emma Hardin

PHILOMATHEAN PROGRAMS.

Sept. 30, 1915.

Musie—Clarinet Solo.....Ora Quinn
Paper—"Farm Life During Vacation"
.....Blanche Daise
"Wit and Humor".....Paul Powell
Reading.....Lucile Snowberger
Current Events.....Herschel Wiles

EUREKAN PROGRAMS.

Sept. 30, 1915.

Instrumental Duet—
.....Hazel Wallace, Edna Dietz
Original Story.....Mary Lewis
Debate—"Resolved That Further Annexation of Territory Would Not be for the Best Interests of our People"
Affirmative—
Chas. McReynolds, Jessie Ewing.
Negative—
Earl Borchers, Anna Wells.

October 7, 1915.

Discussion, based on Roberts' Rules of Order.
Officers and Minutes.....Emma Hardin
Motions and Their Precedence
.....Vella Booth
Motions.....Mary Sowell, Howard Leech
Committees.....Blanche Criswell
Miscellaneous.....Harry Clayton
Solo.....Mary Wallace

Y. M. C. A. Gives Stag Party.

The fellows of the school were given a "stag party" by the Y. M. C. A. on Friday of the opening week. Because of the weather the crowd was not as large as usual, therefore there were more eats per capita. The spirit was fine, and the boys entertained themselves as they usually do.

CHANGES IN THE FACULTY

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York, and has served on the faculty of the School of Practical Arts, Syracuse, New York. Mr. George Palfreyman, Jr., of St. Joseph, who will receive his degree from the University of Missouri during the winter, came to us at the beginning of the summer session as an assistant in Manual Arts and Physical Education for Men. These two new members of the faculty assure us of being able to take care of our physical education in a more satisfactory way than has been possible in the past.

Mr. L. W. Greathouse, Superintendent of Houston Heights Public Schools, Houston, Texas, has been appointed to take charge of the Commercial work. Mr. Greathouse will take charge at the opening of the winter quarter. It is the intention of the Normal School to definitely shape this phase of its work to the preparation of teachers for commercial teaching in high schools. Mr. Greathouse is a graduate of the law department of Minssouri University and of Dixon Business College, Dixon, Illinois, and of Indiana Normal School, and has also had training in Gem City Business College, Quincy, Illinois.

Miss Bertha Hook, of San Bernardino, Calif., has charge of Modern Languages. Miss Hook is an A. B. graduate of Leland Stanford, Jr., University. The courses offered in this department comprise German and Spanish.

Mr. J. E. Cameron, in charge of Biology, resigned at the close of the summer session. Mr. Henry H. Severin, A. B., Ph. D., of the University of Wisconsin, has been appointed to fill the vacancy. Mr. Severin has served on the faculties of Wisconsin University and of the State University of Ohio, and was last year in charge of Biology in Marietta College, Marietta, Ohio. He has done a great deal of research work and has traveled extensively in this country and in the Hawaiian Islands.

Miss Katherine Helwig has taken a leave of absence for advanced study in Chicago University for the winter. Miss Elizabeth Sobbing has been employed as student assistant in the department of Mathematics during her absence. Miss Sobbing is taking post-graduate work along with her teaching.

Miss Anna Bainum of the class of 1914, has been appointed to the student scholarship in the Department of Home Economics.

Mr. Milton S. Boase, A. B., of Lawrence College, Wisconsin, has been appointed private secretary to President Richardson to succeed Mr. M. W. Maxwell, who is taking advanced work in stenography in the Gregg School at Chicago during the winter.

Eurekans Start Year's Work.

The Eurekan Literary Society held its first meeting, September 16. The program consisted mainly of talks by the old members. Don Roberts, a former member, gave a very enthusiastic talk at the meeting, September 23. This has inspired the members to make the society a better and stronger one than we have ever had.

Students Entertained at M. E. Church.

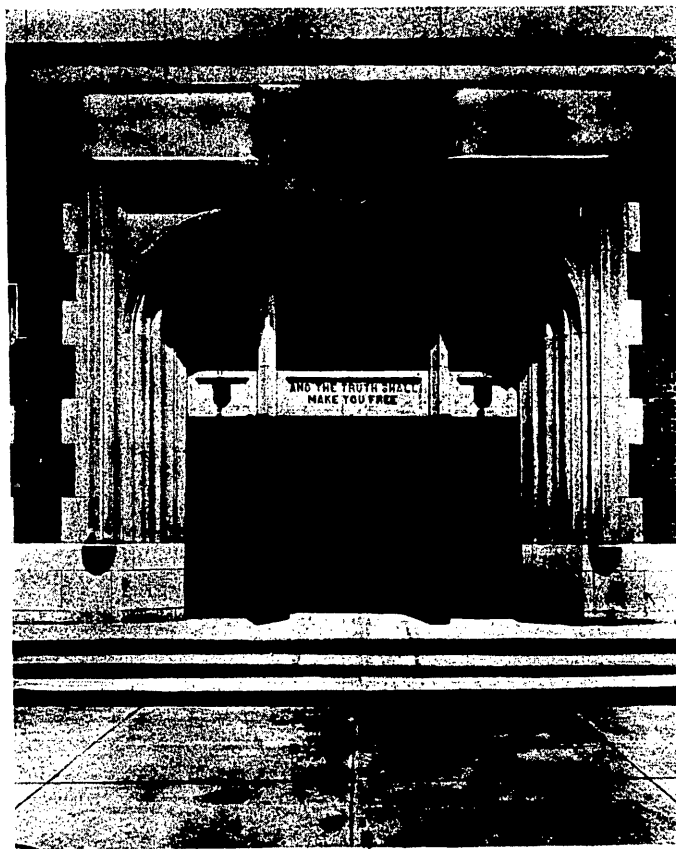
The students of the Normal School, Business College, High School and Conservatory of Music were entertained Tuesday evening, September 21, by the young people of the M. E. Church. About two hundred guests were present.

The visitors were divided into groups representing the four schools. Each group chose a captain and selected contestants for the various events. Some of these were, a hurdle race, sack race mile run and aerial race.

Dakota, where Mr. Miller has a position as assistant cashier in a bank.

Luncheon Given for Miss Helwig.

Miss Katherine Helwig, assistant in the mathematics department, was the honor guest at a six o'clock luncheon given by the Misses Fannie Hope and Carrie Hopkins at the home of the latter, Sunday, September 26. Those invited were the lady members of the faculty: Mrs. Alice Perrin, Misses Hettie Anthony, Mary Boggs, Beulah



DETAIL VIEW OF THE MAIN ENTRANCE.

Judging from the yells and applause, there was no lack of school spirit. This was especially manifest when the tie between the Business College, High School and Normal was broken by the latter, in the final contest. This was followed by the presentation of the loving cup to the Normal School.

The remainder of the evening was spent in making acquaintances and partaking of refreshments.

Former Students Marry.

Ed. Adams and Iva Pulsifer were united in marriage shortly after the close of the summer session. Mr. and Mrs. Adams are making their home in Guilford, where Mr. Adams is principal of the high school and where Mrs. Adams has charge of the intermediate grades.

Annetta Loranee, a member of last year's Junior class, was married to Dale Whitehurst during the summer vacation. Mr. and Mrs. Whitehurst will make their home in Illinois.

A very pretty wedding occurred at the home of Mrs. Belle Davenport, when her daughter, Edith, became the wife of Elijah Miller, of Denver, Mo. These young people were both former students of this institution. Mr. and Mrs. Miller will make their home in South

Brunner, Mildred Miller, Olive DeLuce, Beatrix Winn, Bertha Hook, Orrill Helwig, Anna Laura Bainum, Elizabeth Sobbing, Harriet Van Buren and Katherine Helwig.

Miss Helwig has a leave of absence for the year. She will study in the University of Chicago.

Training School Notes.

Work has again been resumed in the Training School. The problem curriculum is being worked out in detail this year. The children's work room is being fitted for general purposes. What is known as the appreciation period has been added to the curriculum. It is for the purpose of developing the aesthetic tastes of the children through a study of architecture, sculpture, music and art.

Last year a garden club was formed by the pupils. Each was to have a garden at home and this was to be inspected during the summer by a member of the faculty. The results were to be brought to the school. A prize for the best exhibit was offered by Pres. Richardson. This prize, consisting of books on nature study was given to Lewis Howard.

Harold DeMoss spent Saturday and Sunday, September 25 and 26, with his parents at Stanberry, Mo.

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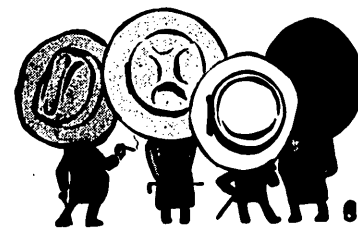
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